



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

David M. MANN, William N. DROHAN, Martin J. MACPHEE and Wilson BURGESS

Serial No.:

09/960,701 /

Group Art Unit: 1741

Confirm. No.: 4294

Filed:

September 24, 2001

For:

METHODS FOR STERILIZING BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS USING

FLAVONOIDS/FLAVONOL STABILIZERS

REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED

Box Missing Parts

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated October 25, 2001, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

- 1. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 2. Copy of Form PTO-1533 (Notice of Missing Parts)
- 3. Filing Fee of \$370.00
- 4. Additional claim fee of \$1545.00
- 5. Surcharge of \$65.00
- 6. Multiple Dependent claim surcharge \$140.00
- 7. Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet, and fee.

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A check in the amount of \$2120.00 for 3-6 indicated above (Check #1793) is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$40.00 (Check # 1794), representing the recordation fee for the Assignment is enclosed.

It is requested that an Official Filing Receipt showing the data contained herewith now be issued.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 16-0607 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted, FLESHNER & KIM, LLP

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1714.
 - \$1539 for 171 total claims over 20.
 - \$40 for 1 independent claims over 3.
 - \$135 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 - A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2134.

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